WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. An occupant restraint system comprising:

a folded air bag,

an inflator for generating gas at the time of a collision of a vehicle, and

mounting portions provided longitudinally at a plurality of locations of the folded air bag being fixed along a side portion of a roof,

the air bag being inflated to be deployed in a curtain-like fashion along an inner side of a passenger compartment by gas generated from the inflator, wherein

the fixing of the folded air bag in a twisted state is prevented by providing a belt-like protruding portion which extends longitudinally along the air bag on an external portion of the air bag.

2. An occupant restraint system comprising:

a folded air bag fixed along a side portion of a roof,

an inflator for generating gas at the time of a collision of a vehicle,

the air bag being inflated to be deployed in a curtain-like fashion along an inner side of a passenger compartment by gas generated from the inflator, and

a rod-like twist preventing member fixed longitudinally along the folded air bag so that the twisting of the air bag is prevented by the twist preventing member.

3. The occupant restraint system as set forth in claim 1, wherein

the width of the belt-like protruding portion is equal to or greater than 10mm.

4. The occupant restraint system as set forth in claim 2, wherein

the cross-sectional shape of the twist preventing member has downwardly bent flanges provided along side edges thereof.

5. The occupant restraint system as set forth in claim 2, wherein

the cross-sectional shape of the twist preventing member is an L-shaped cross section.

6. The occupant restraint system as set forth in claim 2, wherein

the cross-sectional shape of the twist preventing member is a C-shaped cross section.